

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's Conference Room, Administration Building Central Intelligence Agency, on 22 September 1953

> Director of Central Intelligence Allen W. Dulles Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. W. Park Armstrong, Special Assistant, Intelligence, Department of State

Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, Department of the Army

Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence, Department of the Navy

Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force

Dr. Walter F. Colby, Director of Intelligence, Atomic Energy Commission

Colonel Samuel M. Lansing, acting for Deputy Director for Intelligence, The Joint Staff

Mr. Victor Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

Dr. Sherman Kent, Central Intelligence Agency Mr. James Q. Reber, Central Intelligence Agency

Mr. Abbot Smith, Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. William C. Trueheart, Department of State

Mr. Howard M. Wiedemann, Department of State

IAC-M-122 22 September 1953 Lt. Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army
Lt. Colonel T. P. Floryan, Department of the Army
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy
Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force
Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force
Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force
Lt. Colonel Arthur L. Cushing, United States Air Force
Captain E. T. Layton, USN, The Joint Staff
Colonel L. A. Hall, The Joint Staff

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Approval of Minutes

	1.	Action:	The	Minutes	of	15	September	1953	(IAC-M-12	1)
were	app	roved.								

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Probable Soviet Bloc Courses of Action Through Mid-1955 (NIE-95)

3. Action: Approved as amended.

Soviet Intentions Toward Germany

4. Action: Agreed to undertake an estimate on this subject. The Board of National Estimates will circulate draft terms of reference.

Matters for NSC Briefing

5. <u>Discussion</u>: The Director indicated that, in briefing the NSC in connection with its consideration of continental defense, he would provide the Council with a review of recent Soviet atomic developments. The problem of clandestine delivery was discussed.

/Secretary's Note:

1. All agencies having concurred in IAC-D-42/4, 9 September 1953 ("Postponement of Revision of EIC-R-I"), the recommendation of the EIC contained therein is approved.

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